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Dear Sir/Madam,

This is to deny your refund request in the amount of \$130.00, for patent/serial number 09905736.

No refund due at this time. The fee was for the late filing of a declaration.

Sincerely,

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